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PRESS RELEASE: Public Hearings on the Governor's Recommended FY 2023 State Budget

The Vermont House and Senate Committees on Appropriations will hold two Public/Advocate Hearings on the Governor's Recommended FY 2023 State Budget on Tuesday, February 8, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. and Wednesday, February 9, 2022 at 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. via videoconferencing technology (Zoom). All are welcome to testify. The Governor's proposal can be found HERE.

The Committees will take testimony on the Governor's recommended State budget at the above dates and times. Anyone interested in testifying should sign-up in advance of the hearings through ONE of the online forms no later than 5:00 p.m. on February 7, 2022. Instructions on how to access and participate in the hearing will be sent once you have signed up for one of the hearings.

Link to form to sign-up for February 8, 2022: https://legislature.vermont.gov/links/fy22-budget-adjustment-hearing-feb-8

Link to form to sign-up for February 9, 2022: https://legislature.vermont.gov/links/fy22-budget-adjustment-hearing-feb-9

Both hearings will be available to watch live on YouTube at the following link: https://legislature.vermont.gov/committee/streaming/vermont-joint-fiscal or on your local Vermont Access community cable channel. You can find your local channel at the following link: https://vermontaccess.net/amo/.

For more information about the format of these events, contact Chrissy Gilhuly at cgilhuly@leg.state.vt.us or Theresa Utton-Jerman at tutton@leg.state.vt.us or call 802-828-2295 or toll-free within Vermont at 1-800-322-5616 (responses to phone calls may be delayed). Written testimony is encouraged and can be submitted electronically to Chrissy or Theresa through e-mail or mailed to the House and Senate Committee on Appropriations, c/o Joint Fiscal Office, 1 Baldwin Street, Montpelier, VT 05633-5701.